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Goldin, Littles Outline 'Good-News' '98 Budget

In a Thursday press briefing, NASA Administrator Daniel Goldin said the President's FY 1998 budget request for NASA is \$13.5 billion. Approximately \$2.34 billion of that amount is for Marshall. "The President," said Goldin, "put in place stable funding for the next five years. He saw that NASA had performed. This stable funding shows the commitment this Administration has to science and technology." Dr. Wayne Littles told employees, "It is a goodnews budget for NASA, and very positive for Marshall."

'Hubble: Secrets From Space' Airs On Discovery Channel Mon. at 8 and 11 p.m.

Marshall Signs New Visitor Center Pact

Center Director Wayne Littles Thursday signed an agreement renewing the U.S Space & Rocket Center's charter to operate as Marshall's official Visitor Center. Under the agreement the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Commission, which operates the SRC, will upgrade the museum and tour of Marshall.



From left, Rocket Center Director Thad Mauldin, Dr. Littles, Commission Chairman Gary Griffin